Peist Kenneth Form 4 January 20, 2011

### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Peist Kenneth

(Last)

1(b).

(First) (Middle)

6 CEDAR BROOK DRIVE

(Street)

CRANBURY, NJ 08512

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

AMICUS THERAPEUTICS INC [FOLD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

01/19/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

OMB

Number:

Expires:

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Estimated average

burden hours per

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

VP, Intellectual Property

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

Code (Instr. 8)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct (I) (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

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Ownership (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

(A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 5.96	01/19/2011		A		30,000		<u>(1)</u>	01/19/2021	Common Stock	30,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Peist Kenneth

6 CEDAR BROOK DRIVE VP, Intellectual Property

CRANBURY, NJ 08512

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Kenneth Peist 01/20/2011

\*\*Signature of Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

These options vest and become exercisable in a series of installments. The first installment, which consists of 25% of the total aggregate number of options granted, vests on January 19, 2012. The remaining options vest and become exercisable in a series of thirty-five equal monthly installments, beginning on February 1, 2012, with a final installment vesting on January 1, 2015.

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